

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Thursday, April 25. The attendance of farmers at the market was small, and there has not been much produce offered, there was a good demand and prices were higher. Those of the citizens who neglected to lay in a supply of hay last week, and were compelled to buy today, had to pay the highest prices in several years.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, April 25.—The market is firmer, with a good demand for wheat and the coarser grains are all relatively steady. The arrival of the first lake shipment of corn and oats from Chicago at our ports has had little effect on the market, as most of the grain thus arriving has been sold for weeks.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, April 25.—Live Stock—Trade fair, but a little slower than at the beginning of the week, 55 loads in today, including 1,472 cattle, 113 sheep and lambs, 1,500 hogs and 452 calves. Quotations: Export cattle, choice, \$5.00 @ \$5.25; Export cattle, medium, 4.75 @ 4.90; Export cattle, light, 4.50 @ 4.75.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, April 24.—Canadian cattle are steady, at 11 1/2c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c to 9 1/2c per lb.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, April 25.—Receipts, about 8,000; weak; butters, \$4.25 to \$5.40; calves, \$3.50 to \$5.50; good to prime steers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$5.15.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, April 24.—Cotton—Spot closed steady; middling uplands, \$11.25; middling, \$11.50; sales, 300 bales.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH. Pittsburgh, Pa., April 24.—The Standard Oil Company today advanced the price of its standard grade of crude petroleum 8c, making the quotation 72c.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO. Toronto, April 24.—Baled Hay—\$12.50 for No. 1 Timothy, and \$11 to \$12.50 for second quality.

ondary grades, in car lots here; receipts are light, and prices firmer.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT. Detroit, April 24.—Beans—Cash, \$1.32; May, \$1.34; June, \$1.36 asked.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, April 25.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 1 red western winter, 6s 2 1/2d; No. 1 California, 6s 4 1/2d. Futures steady: May, 6s 6 1/2d; July, 6s 4 1/2d.

STOCK MARKETS.

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is a good word for the insurance and at the same time one for ourselves, as it's our business.

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AFTERMATH OF PERKINS CASE

Mr. Johnston's Last Criminal Case—What the Trial Has Cost the Govt.

Cayuga, Ont., April 24.—Mrs. Perkins, who last night, at a few minutes past 11 o'clock, breathed her last breath of freedom since Feb. 13, spent the night at the home of her father, Isaac Curry. Later in the morning she walked over to her sister, Mrs. Heaslip, where a reporter saw her for a few minutes. Mrs. Perkins listened while Mr. Heaslip and the newspaper man spoke of the trial, but had nothing to say. The relaxation of her features in marked contrast with the fixed expression so commented upon throughout the trial.

SECRETS OF DOWIE

To Make Both Ends Meet His Wife May Reveal Them. Muskogon, Mich., April 24.—That the surviving members of the house of Dowie are in dire straits and are in need of ready money is taken from the announcement made tonight by prominent White Lake residents that another auction sale of the personal household effects of the Ben Mac Dhul estate will take place in the near future, probably before the end of this month.

FREAK HEART; SHOT MISSES

Alton, April 24.—Claude Alleman was killed today by Daniel Dempsey, village marshal of Grafton, apparently having been shot through the chest in the personal household effects performed, however, it was found the bullet had not grazed the heart, which was on the right side, four inches out of the normal position. The bullet passed through the part of the body which ordinarily is the heart.

MOTHER-IN-LAW MEDDLED

Accused Son-in-Law of Cruelty to Child to Raise Trouble. Montreal, April 24.—George Blanchet, 45 years of age, 458 Champlain street, was today acquitted by Judge Choquet of the charge of cruelty to his 6-months-old child. Blanchet was arrested on a warrant sworn out by the secretary of the S. P. C. W. C. on information laid by his mother-in-law, charging him with having placed the child in a basket, lighted the kitchen fire and set the stove on fire.

BOURASSA ON FIREBRANDS

Declares That He is Not More So Than the Premier. Ottawa, April 24.—In an interview today Mr. Henri Bourassa, of L'Abbaye, said: "In Sir Wilfrid's reference to Canadian firebrands referred to in the cable dispatches from London, I notice that he speaks of Mr. Bourassa and others. I presume the latter reference is to Hon. Sydney Fisher's speech against preferential trade in Montreal on the morrow of the British general elections last year, and to Sir Wilfrid's own speech against the creation of an imperial council and the policy of imperial defense delivered at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in Montreal in 1904."

LEFT ALL TO CHURCH

J. W. Watson Strathroy, Equeathed \$8,000 to Methodist Cause. It is announced that the late J. W. Watson, of Strathroy, whose death occurred in Victoria Hospital here, on April 13, bequeathed his estate, valued at between \$5,000 and \$8,000, for the propagation of the gospel. The deceased, who had never been married, made this will in 1896, and deposited it with the law firm of Folinbeas & Bartman, of Strathroy and London.

OBEDY NO LAW, SAYS TOLSTOI

Berlin, April 24.—A Berlin publisher is about to issue a new work by Count Tolstoy entitled "The Way to Social Freedom." It is more drastic and revolutionary than any book Count Tolstoy had previously written. He recommends Russians of every class, profession and trade to refuse obedience to any order whatever from the Government and suggests that the latter forthwith divest itself of all power, authority and functions, leaving everybody to do the best he can for himself; in other words, to act as is natural and proper for man.

MARTIN REINSTATED.

New York, April 24.—Jockey Jack Martin, who was denied a license to ride by the stewards of the Jockey Club ten days ago, was restored to favor yesterday, and was granted permission to ride. Henceforth he will guide the horses owned by Timothy D. Sullivan, Frank Farrell, and D. C. Johnson.

50 CENTS PER WEEK.

Will buy a handsome Cabinet Organ. Large assortment, thousands on hand at \$15 to \$25, thoroughgoing, up-to-date and money refunded if not satisfied. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas, corner Clarence.

TIME TRIES ALL THINGS.

and Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup has stood the test of years it now ranks as a leader in specific in the treatment of all ailments of the throat and lungs. It will soothe and subdue the most stubborn cough by relieving the irritation and restore the affected organs to healthy conditions. Use will show its value. Try it and be convinced of its efficacy.

PAIN LIKE THE POOR, ARE ALWAYS WITH US.—That portion of life which is not made up of pleasure is largely composed of pain, and to be free from pain is a pleasure. Simple Remedies always the best in treating bodily pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, for neuralgia, Dr. Thomas' Colic, for colic, Dr. Thomas' Pain-Expeller, for rheumatism, Dr. Thomas' Pain-Expeller, for rheumatism, Dr. Thomas' Pain-Expeller, for rheumatism.

Special—\$285—Special

For the next 30 days only we will sell a beautiful French Bur Weber Upright Piano, 7-1-2 octaves, 3 pedals, colonial style, all improvements, at \$285, payable \$5 per month. Other dealers in London will ask you \$375 for a piano as good as this one. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas, corner Clarence.

DEATH OF MISERLY EX-CLERGYMAN

"Old Neil Brodie," of Montreal, Worth \$100,000, Has Passed Away.

Montreal, April 24.—Old Neil Brodie, one of the most eccentric characters Montreal has ever had, has passed to the great beyond. He is known to be worth at least \$100,000. Brodie, who was at one time a minister of the Presbyterian Church, lived in the most miserly way possible, and on five different occasions during the past few years he had been summoned before the recorder's court on the charge of keeping his house in an unsanitary condition. He owned quite a large block of houses, but would not keep them in repair. Although quite a large shareholder in the Montreal street railway, and other similar corporations, Old Neil, as he was known around town, would watch his chance when going along the street, and pick up pieces of coal and put them in his pocket. It has always been thought he was well connected in Scotland. On the day he bought any stocks it was always his custom to run into the streets and offer shares which he had bought for him had been registered in his name.

WELCOME THE VERDICT.

The verdict of not guilty was welcomed throughout the country, and today the townspeople express themselves as glad that the death sentence was avoided. The trial has been the most costly in the annals of Haldimand County, the expenses totaling \$2,000, which sum does not include the fee of Mr. Arnold, which is paid by the Government. The jury alone were paid \$400, and the special constables received \$300, an unusually large sum. Dr. A. Lake of the Woods, who examined the evidence, was paid \$200; Dr. Bruce Smith, \$163; Dr. Bauer, \$165; Dr. Kerr, \$151; Dr. Arrell, Cayuga, \$30, and Dr. Snider, Cayuga, \$28.

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Larder Lake Goldfields

As stated in my news letter last month, I then began investigating the Larder Lake district, north of Cobalt. I have done so thoroughly, and from personal investigation on the ground, the employment of reliable engineers and a corps of experienced prospectors, I and my associates have now ample proof of the great value of this field.

We know so surely what is there (and what immense probabilities there are as well) that we have already put nearly \$150,000 cash into the field. Our employees on the ground number nearly one hundred, and our stamp mill will very soon be in operation. I am a practical mining man, and I need hardly say that we would not put in such money and work unless fully justified.

The width of the veins or reefs in sight, and the values they bear when such width is considered, is extraordinary. In Africa such reefs are profitably mined when bearing but a few pennyweights of gold to the ton—at Larder Lake average assays from across many reefs run ounces of gold to the ton. An ounce is equal to 320, and the cost of mining and milling should not exceed \$2.50.

I and my associates see many millions of dollars of clean legitimate profits before us in these goldfields. By forming a company, putting up our hard cash, as stated above, and getting in first, we have secured thirty-seven forty-acre claims which we believe to be the cream of the Larder Lake Goldfields.

Our present stamp mill is a small one. We want a larger mill—from 100 to 200 stamps—and we must spend money in opening up our large acreage. We have put in considerable money, and, indeed, would carry the whole thing ourselves, but that, like everything else, we have other interests as well to take care of.

We are, therefore, affording others the opportunity of joining us and sharing with us the large profits we are going to make—profits from dividends, and also from the increase of market value in our stock. Our Company is known as the LARDER LAKE PRIETARY GOLD FIELDS LIMITED, and among the directors and gentlemen identified with it are the following: Col. G. Sterling Byerson, ex-M. P.; Senator L. V. Urey; Lieut. Col. A. N. Worthington, member Dominion Parliament; T. Herbert Lennox, member Provincial Parliament; Charles H. Waterous, ex-mayor of Brantford; E. P. Bucke, of "Granby" fame; Dr. D. H. Piper, of London; P. Kirkgardee, M.E., member National Geographical Society; Sylvester Jencks, president, Jencks Machine Company; William Farnell, president of Eastern Townships Bank; C. P. Brown, of Toronto; Dr. Preston, member Provincial Parliament, and others of like standing.

For the purposes mentioned above a limited amount of stock is offered by the underwriters (Canada Mines Limited) at their first ground floor price of \$1.00 per share. This is being subscribed for rapidly and the next allotment will be at a materially advanced price. The stock will be listed on the exchanges and placed on the New York and Boston curbs, when, as in every proposition I have been connected with, it will, without doubt, command a legitimate market at a still higher price.

This opportunity will not last long. Those desiring further particulars, maps, detailed reports, etc., before joining us, please write, phone, or telegraph me at once. Head Office, 41-45 Adelaide St. East, H. C. BARBER, Toronto. Managing Director, Canada Mines, Limited.

BRANCH OFFICE AT LARDER CITY.

\$1,000,000 FOR NEGRO EDUCATION

Quakeress of Philadelphia Takes Measures to Civilize Southern Blacks.

Philadelphia, April 24.—A gift of \$1,000,000 for the establishment of a fund for rudimentary schools for southern negroes was announced here tonight. The donor is Miss Anna T. Jeanes, a Quakeress of this city. Booker T. Washington, head of Tuskegee Institute, and Hollis Burke Frissell, president of the Hampton Normal and Industrial Institute, are named as trustees of the fund, but neither the institutions they represent will share in the gift.

The income of the million dollars is to be used for the sole purpose of assisting in the "Southern United States community, country and rural schools for the class of negroes to whom the small rural and community school alone available." The deed of gift was executed yesterday and in it Mr. Washington and Mr. Frissell are empowered to appoint a board of trustee in connection with the fund. The Pennsylvania company for insurances on lives and granting annuities of this city, will act as fiscal agent for the trustees.

Miss Jeanes, the donor, is about 80 years of age, and comes from an old and wealthy family that has been prominent for more than a century in the Society of Friends. She has long been interested in the welfare of the negro and has been a contributor to institutions for their education. She has known Mr. Washington for a decade.

Flowers, as a rule, are about 1 1/2 degrees warmer than the surrounding air. Rudyard Kipling's novel "Kim" has been translated into Chinese.

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